

City of Westminster Tree Commission, Bartlett Tree Expert Company,
Maryland Community Forest Council & the Cooperative Extension Service of Maryland's

18th Annual Community Forestry Workshop

Date: Thursday, October 7, 2010
Location: The Forum, McDaniel College, Westminster, Maryland
Time: 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. **'RAIN OR SHINE'**
Cost: \$75 per person (\$65/person for each supervisor when accompanied by Staff)
NEW this year – Student Rate (\$35/person for current students with Student ID)
Registration fee provides morning coffee & pastries, hot lunch, manual and more.

8:00 - 8:30 AM	REGISTRATION at The Forum - Beverages/Danishes	
8:30 – 8:45 AM	WELCOME/REMARKS - Moderator - Mr. Peter Becker Hon. Kevin Utz, Mayor of Westminster Mr. Steve Parker, PLANT – Maryland Community Forestry Council Mr. Steve Koehn, State Forester, Maryland Forest Service	
8:45 - 9:10 AM	SAFETY Safety and training – Where to focus your attention	Mr. Joe Bones Bartlett Tree Experts
9:10 - 9:50 AM	ENTOMOLOGY UPDATE The most common pests and how to identify	Dr. Mike Raupp Maryland Cooperative Extension
9:50 - 10:00 AM	BREAK	
10:00 - 10:50 AM	ARBORICULTURAL UPDATE A discussion on current issues	Dr. Tom Smiley Bartlett Research Laboratories
10:50 AM -11:40 AM	CULTURAL PROBLEMS Cultural areas to focus on improving plant health and establishment	Dr. Mike Raupp Maryland Cooperative Extension
11:30 – 12:00 AM	BGE ELECTRICAL DEMONSTRATION	Baltimore Gas & Electric
12:00 – 1:10 PM	LUNCH	
1:10 - 2:00 PM	TREE-SIDEWALK CONFLICTS Options for dealing with this common problem	Dr. Tom Smiley Bartlett Research Laboratories
2:00 - 3:30 PM	AFTERNOON FIELD SESSIONS <i>Tree Injections</i> New Materials and Techniques for Tree Injections <i>Tree Pruning – Safety, A300 Standards</i> Practices – Cleaning, Thinning, Reduction and Raising <i>Hazard Tree Identification and Reporting</i> How to Identify, Assess and Record Concerns <i>Insect & Disease Plant Clinic</i> Review of Common Tree & Shrub Problems and Solutions	Dr. Tom Smiley Mr. Wes Fuhman - Mr. Eric Johnson Mr. Joe Bones Mr. Peter Becker - Mr. Paul Mullins Mr. John Davis Mr. Brian Rhoten – Mr. Eric Schlitzer Dr. Mike Raupp Mr. Marty Adams
3:30 - 4:00 PM	EVAULATION & SUMMARY (Door Prizes)	Mr. Joe Barley